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## SOUND OF CANNON HEARD OFF COAST-- JAPS UNDER COVER

It Is Not Certain Where The Jap Fleet Is  
Now Located.

Late Reports Say Germany May Take a Hand--A  
Big Battle Expected Soon.

## A BRITISH VESSEL FIRED ON BY RUSSIAN SHIP

### NAVAL BATTLE ON.

Tien Tsin, Feb. 13.—A report has reached here from Chang Wan Tao, on the Gulf Lia Tung, stating that heavy firing was heard there. This has given rise to the rumor that a naval battle is being fought in the Gulf of Uchili not far from Port Arthur.

### THE NEXT BATTLE.

London, Feb. 13.—The impression is growing here that the next news of a big battle will come from Korean points. Japan is known to already have a force in Korea.

### JAPS HAVE VANISHED.

Chefoo, Feb. 13.—No one here has any inkling of the exact location of the Japanese fleet. None of the vessels has been seen since the bombardment Tuesday night, and it is presumed the warships were left to act as convoy to ships carrying troops to Korea.

### RUSSIAN EMBASSY LEAVES.

London, Feb. 13.—Baron Hayashi, the Russian minister at London, has received a telegram from Tokio announcing that M. Pavloff, the Russian minister at Korea, has left Seoul for home, accompanied by the embassy and all the Russian residents of Seoul. The telegram does not give the reason for this action. The Japanese forces are maintaining order in Korea.

### FIRE ON ENGLISH SHIP.

Chefoo, Feb. 13.—The British steamer Fuping, when leaving Port Arthur, was fired upon by Russians. Three Chinese members of the crew were wounded.

The Russians afterward apologized for firing on the vessel. The Fuping upon its arrival at Wei-Hai-Wei filed a protest with the British consul.

The American consul has reported to United States Minister Conner that the Russian authorities have refused to allow the American steamer Pleiades to leave Port Arthur. The Pleiades sailed from Seattle, February 2, with a cargo of flour.

### ENGLISH OFFICERS WARNED.

London, Feb. 13.—The Daily Telegraph says the British admiralty has sent letters of warning to all retired naval officers who are eligible for service.

### WILL GERMANY AID RUSSIA?

New York, Feb. 13.—The Herald says:

"London, Feb. 13—Possible action by Germany is regarded here as a factor in the far Eastern situation and is causing some apprehension."

The Daily Telegraph gives prominence to the following special from St. Petersburg, which tends to confirm this idea:

"St. Petersburg, Feb. 11—I have unimpeachable authority for stating that if the fortunes of war prove adverse to Russia a diversion which may lead to far-reaching results is confidently expected from Germany."

Already proposals are affirmed to have been made by the chief of that state, which, if accepted, will considerably complicate matters.

The German government is especially bitter toward England, and ill support Russia diplomatically in any action tending to bring the evacuation of Wei-Hai-Wei before the Hague tribunal.

Germany's fixed resolution is to avail herself of the present crisis to win back Russian friendship and to

## NEGRO CONFESSES TO FIENDISH ASSAULT

Roanoke, Va., Feb. 13.—Henry Williams, colored, arrested at North Fork, W. Va., Tuesday on suspicion of having committed a murderous assault and outrage on Mrs. George L. Shields and her 3-year-old daughter in their home on January 30, has made a full confession of the crime in the Bluefield, W. Va., jail. Williams gave up two watches and some clothing stolen from the Shields home.

He was placed on a special train and rushed through to Richmond under a heavy guard. Williams will be placed in the State penitentiary for safe keeping, the feeling being such that the authorities are satisfied it would be unwise to bring him here at this time.

Williams entered the Shields residence in the heart of the city at noon and brutally assaulted Mrs. Shields

and her daughter with a razor and hatchet, leaving both for dead. Mrs. Shields was found locked in a closet with her throat cut from ear to ear and the skull fractured in several places. Rewards aggregating \$2,000 were offered for the capture of the negro.

Richmond, Va., Feb. 13.—Henry Williams, colored, the alleged assailant of Mrs. Shields and her little daughter in Roanoke, was brought here last evening and locked in the Richmond city jail for safe keeping. A brother of Mrs. Shields was at the station when the negro arrived and became so incensed at the prisoner that he struck him in the face and was in turn pretty roughly handled by the detectives before they were informed who he was.

## WEEK'S NEWS IN BUSINESS WORLD

Clearings this week \$612,210

Same week last year 732,776

Decrease 120,566

Local manufacturers report unabated good bookings of orders and especially a good trade in the south. Business this season, so far, is ahead of last year with the prospects for a continuation of the same thing.

Wholesale trade is good, and collections fair. There is no complaint to be heard in any quarter which certainly speaks well for Paducah's territory.

The opening of good weather promises to see great activity in the building line, and contractors are anticipating a good season.

Retail trade is having a little advance spring shopping.

Charin, several grand duchesses and numerous other noble ladies have organized committees in St. Petersburg.

The Official Messenger daily prints lists of loyal addresses from Zemstvos and municipalities and governmental and private corporations. The Czar takes pains to personally thank the senders of addresses in each case.

The situation in financial circles is slightly improved, but is still very critical.

From all parts of the empire come telegrams telling of the feverish activity of ladies' committees embracing various classes of the population who are preparing linen bandages and other supplies for the hospitals and the Red Cross society.

CHINA NEUTRAL.

Washington, Feb. 13.—Minister Conger cabled the state department from Pekin that the Chinese government would immediately issue a proclamation of neutrality, having received from the Russian minister the declaration of war.

If this proclamation is observed it will prevent the threatened invasion of Manchuria by Boxers. China must prevent the use of her soil by either Russia or Japanese troops.

RUSSIA EXPECTS REINFORCEMENTS.

London, Feb. 13.—A dispatch from Perim Island, off the Arabian coast at the entrance to the red Sea, states that the indications are that Russia is reinforcing her squadron, making Jibouti, near there, its point of rendezvous. All vessels which will go as reinforcements to the Far East are expected to arrive there by Feb. 18.

BLOWN UP BY MINE.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 13.—A report has been received from Viceroy Alexeif saying that the Russian torpedo transport Yenisei has been blown up as the result of accidentally striking a mine at Port Arthur. The vessel sank and Capt. Stephanoff, three officers and ninety-one men were lost.

THE BALTIK FLEET.

Copenhagen, Feb. 13.—The Russian Baltic fleet is reported to be still at Kronstadt where the ice breaker is keeping the channel open. The report that the fleet had been seen at Kattegat, was erroneous.

DR. RUSSELL DYING.

Evanston, Ind., Feb. 13.—Dr. E. P. Russell, of Hopkinsville, whose leg was maimed Tuesday in an infirmary here, is dying.

TEACHER'S DEED.

Des Moines, Ia., Feb. 13.—Miss

Hilda Nelson, a young woman school teacher of Fort Dodge, Ia., in a moment of insanity, brained her mother with a hatchet while the latter was sleeping and then, after tying three flatirons about her neck, jumped into

## AROUND THE HALL

A Called Session of Aldermanic Board Monday.

Some of the Frankfort Delegates return—Got all They Wanted.

THE POLICE NEWS.

LITTLE OF INTEREST DONE

## ONE CENT AND COSTS

Fine Assessed Against Principal of High School.

Case Aired in Police Court—News of Circuit and Other Courts.

The first trouble to come up in the public schools since the Board of Education and the new Supt. recently expressed a sentiment in favor of the old and somewhat barbarous corporal punishment, came up in police court today over the action of Principal E. G. Payne, the young and popular principal of the High school, who slapped Enrico Arnold, son of Mr. Jerry Arnold, a well known employee of the Illinois Central.

The evidence showed that Prof. Payne received information that some one hit Miss Laura Hand, a teacher with a snow ball, and she was told it was the Arnold boy, and so informed Prof. Payne.

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Alderman Gus Singleton and Lucien Durrett returned last evening from Frankfort, well pleased with their trip, and Mayor Yeiser and Councilman Riglosberger are expected home this evening. They went to Cincinnati from Frankfort. The agreement with other second class cities relative to charter amendments was shown in the dispatch to the Sun several days ago in regard to bills introduced for the amendments. Covington, Kentucky, wants the amendment relative to taxing bunks or other vehicles run for hire, in order to make those pay that come over from Cincinnati. Newport wants the amendment relative to paying councilmen from \$2 to \$5 a meeting. It is not known what will become of the bills in the legislature, but no objection to them is anticipated.

No warrants have yet been issued in the shooting on the Dick Fowler night before last in which John Adams and Dave Daniels were shot. McGrawan county has jurisdiction, as the shooting occurred on the boat and the boat was not at low water mark on the other side of the river, but no one came up to get warrants and none were issued.

The board of public works will doubtless be organized this week. Wharfmaster S. A. Fowler will tender his resignation at the meetings of the boards the coming week, and will then be eligible to qualify for the new position to which he has been appointed on the board of public works.

Captain T. J. Moore left today for Caruthersville, Mo., to identify Henry Donald, the man under arrest there for killing negro here a year ago. He is serving a workhouse sentence there, and will be brought back if he proves to be the right man.

An unknown white man complained last night that he had been robbed somewhere of a watch and \$21 in money. He didn't know anything about who robbed him, so the police didn't bother with him.

One of the boarders last night complained to the police that he had his overcoat stolen from the Commercial hotel. No trace of the thief could be found.

Mayor Yeiser will not return from Frankfort before Monday or the boards would meet sooner.

a cistern drowning herself. The young woman had to relinquish school work on account of ill health.

MRS. LORENZ ACQUITTED.

Washington, Feb. 13.—Before court adjourned yesterday in the postal trial Mrs. Martha J. Lorenz was a free woman. Justice Pritchard, acting on a motion of Mr. Kumler, decided that there was not sufficient evidence to hold her, and directed the jury to find a verdict of not guilty. She simply smiled at the announcement and was warmly congratulated by her counsel and friends.

Judgments for sale were filed in the cases of Brockman against Jones and Beal & Sons against Jones.

The case of Louisa Purish against I. C. railroad was dismissed without prejudice.

BARBERS' COURT.

Justice R. J. Barber this morning held a court of inquiry to ascertain who was responsible for the child born to Miss Humphrey, a stepdaughter.

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The Income of the Continental, Germania, Northwestern National, German and Rochester  
 German Insurance Companies in  
**NINETY DAYS EXCEEDS THEIR BALTIMORE LOSSES**  
 Assets twenty-seven millions

Hummel Bros. Agents.  
 Rudy, Paxton & Co. Agents

**THEATRICAL WORLD.**

Next week's big offerings at The Kentucky:  
 Monday night—The New Telephone Girl Opera Co.  
 Tuesday night—The Minister's Son.  
 Wednesday night—Miss Roselle Knott in When Knighthood Was in Flower.  
 Friday night—A Ron on the Bank.  
 Saturday matinee and night—The Chaperons Opera Co.

Next week should be one of the greatest at The Kentucky, both in merit and attendance, as the management offers five strictly first class attractions, each of a different nature, enough difference to suit any patron, and such energy as is displayed in bringing such attractions to a town the size of Paducah should be rewarded.

Prof. Boone, the hypnotist, was at The Kentucky theater last night and his performance was witnessed by a large crowd. He performed some marvelous feats, having many strangers on the stage and under the influence of the spell for some time, and requiring them to do many amusing things. Prof. Boone is an artist and comes highly recommended. He is being greeted by a larger crowd this afternoon and will also be tonight.

Not for many years have so many of the old favorite successes been revived as during the present season and Manager English takes pleasure in announcing to his patrons that he has

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secured the comedy that made Ward and Vokes famous, viz: "A Ron on the Bank," for the attraction at The Kentucky on Friday night. Those clever comedy stars, Wood and Hyland, surrounded by a company of more than 20 people, who have been selected with especial care for the parts they play, will surely eclipse its former greatness.

Thursday morning, one week in advance, at 10 o'clock sharp, the box office of The Kentucky will open the sale of seats for the banner engagement of Mr. Nat Goodwin and company in his greatest success, "A Gilded Fool," which comes to The Kentucky Thursday night, February 25. The scale of prices will be as follows: The entire orchestra, \$2; the first three rows of balcony \$1.50, balance of balcony \$1, and entire gallery 50, which three rows can be reserved on sale day, the balance of the gallery being unreserved until night of performance. The management of The Kentucky takes this method of notifying patrons that no seats whatever will be reserved or laid aside for any one until the day of the sale, and if seats are desired, you had better get in line early Thursday morning, or have a representative there.

That jolly, rollicking and happy musical comedy from the "New York Casino," "The Telephone Girl" will be the offering at The Kentucky on Monday night. This famous musical comedy, which has amused countless thousands the length and breadth of the country over during the past six years is making fresh conquests and

renewing favoritism in this its seventh highly successful season, by reason of its splendid equipments and presentation. The piece has been thoroughly revised, new situations, dialogue and action, many numbers supplied. Thus, with new costumes and scenic appointments, and an entirely different cast, "The Telephone Girl" has good cause to be proclaimed practically a new production. Manager Plohn was signal success in acquiring the services of Mr. Max Bloom, the nations comedian who furnishes such side splitting merriment as the impossibly ridiculous creation, "Hans Nix," the Dutch inspector of telephones.

One of the few novels that have been made into really successful plays is Charles Major's "When Knighthood Was in Flower," put into dramatic form by Paul Kester, and which is to be seen at The Kentucky Wednesday night. It was first presented in New York city by Miss Marlow at the Criterion theater where it ran for a whole season. Manager Frank L. Perley then secured the play together with all the original scenery, costumes, plates, etc., and this season will exploit Miss Roselle Knott in the principal role, that of Mary Tudor, sister of King Henry VIII. Miss Knott is one of the youngest leading actresses of the day. Last season she played the part of "Katrinka," the star role in Amelia Bingham's production of "A Modern Magdalen." Before that she had principal characters in Richard Mansfield's company, succeeded Julia Baxter in the actress's splendid production of "More Than Queen," and altogether has had considerable of a career in the realms of stardom.

Nat C. Goodwin, America's greatest comedian, in a revival of his most triumphant success, is billed to appear in this city Thursday, February 25. This announcement seems a little vague, because that eminent comedian had had so many triumphs, but when it is supplemented with the assertion that the revival will be that of "A Gilded Fool," then the light of intelligence gives way to smiles of satisfaction on the faces of all votaries of the theater. For in this play Mr. Goodwin is seen at his best. Seats go on sale Thursday, February 18, one week in advance.

Isidore Witmark's comedy opera, "The Chaperons" will be presented at The Kentucky Saturday matinee and night. This piece is a musical farce presented with much of the elaborateness and musical finish of opera, but with a score that is modern and thoroughly up to date in its humor and ideas. The combination of catchy music, Twentieth century fun, light and graceful dances, fine singers and mirth makers and gorgeous scenic and costume surroundings makes "The Chaperons" one of the gayest of musical attractions. The production was staged under the direction of George W. Lederer who is noted as the producer of many of the most successful musical travesties of the period.

One of the few plays that is alike original, ingenious and interesting is "The Minister's Son," which served to launch the peculiar comedian, Mr. W. B. Patton as a successful star. Its tone is absolutely clean and wholesome. It is virile and tense without being sensational. It is more than bright and entertaining. It is cleverly constructed as to situation and its characters are truthful types. Those who have enjoyed "Shore Acres," "Way Down East," and other kindred plays will perhaps see a similarity in style and tone, but it is not to be inferred that "The Minister's Son" is modeled on any of these. The theme is absolutely new and yet the well-drawn characters exploit the characteristics and mannerisms of the people in a quiet New England village, as is the case in the above mentioned plays.

The humor of this tranquil life is not extremely bittersweet and the author has not made the mistake of exaggerating it, but it is nevertheless there. It is a sweet little story winding leisurely along like a meadow brook, and the character of Simon Ray, the minister's son, as portrayed by Mr. Patton in his own inimitable way, is one of the most quaintly original and lovable types of character that the stage has yet given us, and will live long as a pleasant

memory. At The Kentucky Tuesday night.

**COAL LEAVES**

Over a Million Bushels Shipped From Pittsburg.

Shipments Very Heavy—Some Little Ice.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 13—it is announced by the river coal operators that close to a million bushels of fuel has started out for points. In all, 32 barges, 18 boats and 11 flats got away, making a total of 1,018,000 bushels of coal. The stage is still good for shipment of coal, and other tugs are expected to leave tomorrow.

The three rivers are still filling. The water is going down slowly, nevertheless, and it is falling steadily. Light, and mushy ice is running out of the Allegheny. Towboats and packets are able to navigate with better success since the thick ice has run out. Several of the larger towboats are coming up the Ohio river as fast as steam will bring them, and if they get in before the coal stage goes out another large shipment of fuel will be sent south.

Lower river packet steamers plying between Pittsburgh and Cincinnati are carrying large quantities of freight. Navigation was suspended so long that river shipments accumulated. The same condition is true of up river affairs.

**RETAIL CLERKS**

PRESIDENT W. J. WHITE HAS RESIGNED.

President W. J. White, of the Retail Clerks Union, has resigned, and Mr. R. L. Boone, of the Gardner Fur Nitro Company, was elected to succeed him.

At the meeting W. A. Edwards and Chas. Horton were elected to membership and were initiated.

Two new delegates were elected to Central Labor union in the persons of Brothers Adolph Mayer and Norman E. Harris.

**MARDI GRAS**  
 NEW ORLEANS,  
 FEB. 10TH-16TH.

For above occasion the Illinois Central railroad company will sell round trip tickets from Paducah for \$15.65, dates of sale Feb. 9th to 15th, inclusive, tickets good returning until Feb. 20th, 1904. By depositing ticket with Special Agent at New Orleans not later than 8 p. m. Feb. 20th, 1904, and on payment of fee of 50 cents, an extension may be obtained, permitting passengers to remain in New Orleans not later than March 5th, 1904. Stop overs will be permitted at various points going and returning. W. H. Mastin, Ticket Agent; J. T. Donovan, Agent.

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**JUBILEE FEB. 15.**

Rome, Feb. 15.—As is customary for each Pope to proclaim a jubilee during the first year of his pontificate, Pope Pius X, has issued an encyclical, dated February 3, proclaiming a jubilee for February 15, the anniversary of the proclamation of the dogma of the Immaculate Conception and granting three months' indulgence.

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**CHICKEN FIGHTS**

VISITORS ALLEGED TO HAVE COME OUT VICTORIOUS.

**JAMES MOREN**

SANK ABOUT HALF HER TOW AT REELFOOT.

Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 13—News has reached here that the James Moren picked up a log in her rider at Reelfoot and about half her tow of 25 coal-boats sank. The remainder are being brought to Memphis, and the Moren will return to Reelfoot to attempt to save something from the wreck. The Fred Harrung left Carntherville, Mo., for the scene, with a coal digger, and will try to get up some of the sunken coal.

REV. CARLISLE P. H. MARTIN,  
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Of Waverly, Texas, writes: "Of a morning, when first arising, I often find a troublesome collection of phlegm which produces a cough and is very hard to dislodge; but a small quantity of Hallard's Horchond Syrup will at once dislodge it, and the trouble is over. I know of no medicine that is equal to it, and it is so pleasant to take. I can most cordially recommend it to all persons needing a medicine for throat or lung trouble." 25c, 50c and 75c.

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 In  
**A GILDED FOOL**



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## The Week In Society.

### A WINTER SONG.

I do not count the passing days  
As days forever lost to me;  
I do not stand and sadly gaze  
Back on the past, but hopefully  
I think of April's leaping rills,  
Of May's green meadows and the  
sky  
Deep blue above her verdant hills,  
And of the gray hawk wheeling  
high.  
I do not mourn the days that go,  
Nor deem them lost; through each  
I gain  
A step that leads to where the glow  
Of spring shall spread across the  
plain.  
Today, I think in ecstasy  
Of lilacs that shall gladden May;  
That day brought only gain to me  
Which died at twilight yesterday.  
—S. E. Kiser.

### BEGINNING OF LENT.

The present week practically closes the social season in Paducah, since Lent begins next Wednesday. A few very delightful functions will be given, however, early next week. The past season has been a very gay one and will leave many pleasant memories. Practically all of the purely social clubs will disband during Lent, but the literary clubs will continue their meetings. These, with charitable and benevolent work and church going, will occupy the attention of busy society women during the penitential season. Attention will also be given to the arrangement of spring ward robes. One young society woman remarked a few days ago, that she was really very glad that Lent was coming so that she could do some sewing, and so to each season is assigned special duties and obligations.

### VALENTINE CELEBRATIONS.

The gracious St. Valentine had an unusually warm welcome in Paducah this year. Shop windows for the past two weeks have displayed valentines of every description to delight those of tender years, and for grown up young folks, the sentiment of the season will be expressed in gifts of flowers and confections attractively put up in heart shaped boxes and presented with other appropriate suggestions of the saint of gentle thought.

Several valentine parties have been given, the leading function of course being the Valentine ball given by the Charity club at the Palmer House Thursday evening. A large number of guests were in attendance and a nice sum was realized for charity. At the residence of Mrs. John Little, on West Jefferson street, Friday evening the Newell society of the Broadway Methodist church gave a valentine party, and the same evening, the Little Gleaners Missionary Society of this church, also gave a valentine party at the residence of Mrs. B. B. Griffith, Jefferson and Tenth streets.

### PRETTY VALENTINE PARTY.

Mrs. Charles K. Wheeler entertained the West End Club and a number of young people at her home at Fifth and Kentucky avenue last evening in honor of Miss Alice Hood, of Baltimore. It was a valentine party, and the idea was very prettily carried out. The tally cards were heart shaped and violets arranged in a heart shaped design was presented to the young lady winning the most points in the game and a smaller heart to the young man who was most successful. Miss Minnie Ratcliffe won the young lady's souvenir and presented it to Miss Carrie Weil, of Cleveland, Ohio. Mr. James Campbell was given the young gentleman's souvenir. Individual ices in heart shaped designs were served in a pretty course luncheon at the close of the game.

The guests were: Messrs. and Mmes. George C. Thompson, I. D. Wilcox, Marion K. Younts, W. F. Bradshaw, W. P. Powell, W. A. Gardner, L. A. Washington, George Hughes, Muscoe Burnett, Mrs. M. G. Cope, Misses Alice Hood, Baltimore, Carrie Weil, Cleveland, O.; Faith Langstaff, Ethel Morrow, Hattie Heisey, Martha Davis, Claribel Rieke, Carrie Rieke, Minnie Ratcliffe, Sophia Kirkland, Minnie Terrell, Hattie Terrell, Mary Sykes, Mary Boswell, Elizabeth Sinnott, Lillian Rudy, Luin Reed, Florence Yeiser, Ruth Weil, Myra DuBois, Susie Thompson, Mary Lee Clarke, Henrietta Koger, Messrs. Charles Abbott, William Leigh, I. D. Wilcox, Horace Shinn, Charles Rieke, William Rieke, Calhoun Rieke, Louis Rieke, Richard Rudy, Henry Rudy, W. F.

visit to Mrs. J. E. Jenings, en route from a visit to her cousin, Miss Annie Hale of Mayfield.

Mrs. I. D. Wilcox is entertaining at cards this afternoon, in honor of Miss Alice Hood, of Baltimore.

### AMONG CLUBS.

The Delphic club met Tuesday morning with Mrs. John P. Campbell at her home on Broadway. The topic for the morning was Pisa. A paper on "The Cathedral, Its Bronze Doors," was read by Miss Kathleen Whitfield. A paper on "The Leading Tower" was presented by Mrs. C. B. Austin. Mrs. Frank Barnard had a paper on "Benzino Gozzoli" and Mrs. John P. Campbell read a paper on "Andrea Orcagna."

An interesting missionary tea was held at the residence of Mrs. Sallie Morrow, Sixth and Jefferson streets Friday afternoon, by the missionary society of Grace Episcopal church.

### MUSICAL ATTRACTION.

One of the leading attractions of this week will be the musical recital to be given at the First Christian church Tuesday evening, by Prof. Felix Heink, one of the most famous pianists and vocalists of this country. It will be a great treat to the music-loving people of Paducah.

The Wednesday Afternoon Club was entertained this week by Miss Mamie Dryfuss at her home on Kentucky avenue. The first prize was won by Mrs. Harry Livingston, the second prize by Mrs. Herman Friedman, and Miss Irene Schwab won the lone hand prize and the second lone hand prize, a bunch of carnations was given to Mrs. Cook Husband.

The room was decorated in flags and the patriotic idea was carried out in the luncheon. Individual ices had the form of soldier-sailors, and the individual cakes and mints had tiny flags painted on them. The napkins were also decorated with stars and stripes.

### The guests were:

Messames Victor Voris, Charles K. Wheeler, Herman Wallerstein, I. D. Wilcox, James Weile, Ben Weile, Henry Weil, Bernard Weil, Adolph Weil, Julius Weil, Lloyd Boswell, Frank Boyd, Muscoe Burnett, Clara Burnett, Moses Bloom, W. F. Bradshaw, Thomas Baker, John P. Campbell, M. G. Cope, A. J. Decker, Lawrence Dallam, Sol Dreyfus, James English, Samuel Fols, Laura Fowler, George Flurnoy, Joseph L. Friedman, W. A. Gardner, William Gilbert, Nora Gardner Smith, R. G. Terrell, Cool Husbands, W. J. Hills, Charles Kiger, George Langstaff, A. R. Meyers, Hughes McKnight, William McPherson, William Powell, Fred Rudy, Harris Rankin, Minnie Rankin, Frank Rieke, A. B. Sowell, Edwin Rivers, Robert Reeves, George Thompson, Wynn Tully, David Van Culin, Misses Mary Boswell, Anne Bowell, Reubie Cobb, Myrtle Decker, Helen Decker, Martha Davis, Myra DuBois, Hattie Heisey, Emily Morrow, Jessie Nash, Lillian Rudy, Mabel Rieke, Claribel Rieke, Carrie Rieke, Lizette Rothschild, Elizabeth Sinnott, Mary K. Sowell, Carlene Sowell, Susie Thompson, Clara Thompson, Minnie Terrell, Hattie Terrell, Ruth Weil, Carrie Weil, Cleveland, Ohio; Florence Yeiser, Susie Jorgenson.

The Whist Club met Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. H. Wallerstein at their home on North Seventh street. The guest prize was won by Mr. Aaron Williams, of Chicago and the club prize by Mrs. Henry Weil. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. M. Bloom, Mr. and Mrs. Moses Schwab, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Wallerstein, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Weil, Mrs. Jeanette Weile, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Williams, Chicago; Mrs. Max B. Nahim, Bowling Green, Mrs. Bernard Weil and Miss Carrie Weil, of Cleveland, Ohio; Miss Jeanette Hecht, St. Louis, Mr. Charles Weile and Mr. James Greenbaum.

Miss Elizabeth Sinnott gave an informal Dutch lunch Thursday evening at her home on North Ninth street after the charity ball in honor of Miss Carrie Weil, of Cleveland, Ohio. The guests were: Dr. and Mrs. Victor Voris, Misses Carrie Weil, Ruth Weil, Mary Boswell, Faith Langstaff, Lillian Rudy, Alice Hood, Baltimore; Messrs. W. F. Bradshaw, Jr., Will Sanders, Saunders Fowler, Abe Weil, Dr. C. R. Lightfoot and Dr. O. R. Mercer, of Minneapolis.

The West End club was entertained by Mrs. W. A. Gardner Wednesday afternoon at her home on Fountain avenue. The guests were: Messames Muscoe Burnett, W. F. Bradshaw, L. A. Washington, George Thompson, Charles K. Wheeler, Charles Kiger, Henry Hughes, D. G. Parks, Hal Corbett and Miss Claribel Rieke.

Miss Hattie Heisey returned today to her home in Hopkinsville, after a brief

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**NATIONAL TOILET CO., PARIS, TENN.**

Miss Mary Lee Clarke has returned from a visit to Henderson.

Mrs. B. E. Niles, of Henderson, left yesterday after a visit to her sister-in-law, Mrs. H. P. Sights.

Miss Mary Waller returned this week to her home in Henderson after a visit to her sister, Mrs. Henry Hughes.

Mrs. J. G. Brooks returned this week from Chicago, where she placed her daughter, Miss Ethel Brooks in a musical college.

One of Paducah's most attractive young visitors is Miss Alice Hood, of Baltimore, daughter of Gen. John Hood, president of the United Railways, who is the guest of Mrs. W. F. Bradshaw, of West Broadway. She has been the guest of honor at several entertainments.

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French Nib Voiles—38 inch wide, 10 colors, a beautiful material at 90c.

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A most select line in quality and patterns—all new and fresh and fresh and twill do you good just to look through the new designs and materials. From 10c dress ginghams to \$1.00 fancy madras, and between you will find many and sundry things to suit your fancy and price.

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Our stock is complete. We carry all grades.

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We have an artist in our repair department. Old shoes made as good as new.

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*Famous Shoe for Women*

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\$1.00 takes Little Gent's seam-

less kangaroo, solid.

\$1.25 takes Little Gent's marine

calf, solid.

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5 1/2. They wear.

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Jan. 1	2301	Jan. 18	2279
Jan. 2	2293	Jan. 19	2275
Jan. 4	2281	Jan. 20	2279
Jan. 5	2292	Jan. 21	2268
Jan. 6	2286	Jan. 22	2271
Jan. 7	2259	Jan. 23	2287
Jan. 8	2286	Jan. 25	2280
Jan. 9	2534	Jan. 26	2274
Jan. 11	2492	Jan. 27	2261
Jan. 12	2518	Jan. 28	2303
Jan. 13	2531	Jan. 29	2310
Jan. 14	2541	Jan. 30	2335
Jan. 15	2547		
Jan. 16	2511		61184
Daily average	2364		
December average	2358		
Increases	106		

Personally appeared before me this day E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of Jan., 1904, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,

Notary Public McCracken County.  
My commission expires at the end of the next session of the senate.

Feb. 1, 1904.

DAILY THOUGHT.

"If a man's vocation brings him happiness, he has won a fortune by it."

THE WEATHER.

Increasing cloudiness and warmer tonight followed by snow. Sunday rain or snow.

Maybe the Austrian emigrant caught at New York with enough dynamite to blow up a fleet of ships in reality in Japan.

Today is the time for the Kentucky Legislature to be in St. Louis at the dedication of the Kentucky world's fair building. It is hoped that at least some of them declined.

The detective in the Bedford, Ind., murder case seem to be something like those in the Kentucky Goebel cases. The reward will justify them in arresting and convicting anyone, even a teamster.

The irony of fate is merciless. The oldest locomotive engineer in the United States, after years of hardship and labor, and after devoting a lifetime to running a locomotive, was killed near Denver in a railroad accident.

Louisville is a pretty big place, but not yet big enough to have serious strike. Work on the big Seelbach hotel is progressing rapidly, despite a strike, because the place is well guarded and men who are satisfied are allowed to work in peace.

It is a good move, if it will only prove successful, for the state of Kentucky to purchase the old homestead of Abraham Lincoln and convert it into a park. Whatever may be the opinion of the people of Kentucky of Lincoln, and it is doubtless good, he was a great man, and one whose name will be carried down for countless years in history. Kentucky should do all possible to accord him the honor that is due him.

The car line to the Illinois Central passenger depot has been in operation about three years, and yet, as The Sun said yesterday, the city has never taken any steps to have the public protected. It has never required either a flagman or an automatic gate at the crossing. The general public will not care what is at a crossing to act as a safe guard, so it does the work, but there should be something. Alderman Singleton, the sagacious father of his country, who is now trying to get credit for the automatic gate idea, although it was introduced in the Board of Aldermen, by Dr. J. T. Troutman

## SONGS OF THE DAY.

### A SEA FANCY.

Miles out upon the ocean's rim  
Where sea and sky seem one,  
A sail that loomed up black and grim  
Now flashes in the sun.

It twinkles in the blue afar,  
All silver and bright,  
As far as is the first glad star  
Along the edge of night.

Like God's own ships that sail the  
sky.

It has the star's desire:

A shadow till the sun on high

Transforms it into fire

—Frank Dempster Sherman, in  
Youth's Companion.

months ago while the doctor was a member of the board, has never shown any particular regard for the public's safety at this crossing in the two years or more he has been in the board. He has had ample time, as have all the other members of local legislative boards, to install some kind of protection at this crossing, together with other crossings, but they have never done it. Whether their indifference and negligence was in favor of the railroad company or the public, people may judge for themselves.

## THE CAR SMASH-UP

Many Erroneous Reports are in Circulation.

Patients Are All Getting Along as Well as Could be Expected.

Since the street car accident at the junction of the N. O. & St. L. railroad and Paducah City Railway tracks near the L. O. Union depot yesterday morning, many conflicting reports have been circulated about passengers being injured and killed, and many persons who were at work were reported to have been killed in the smashup.

It was reported that Officers Hessian and Orr, who patrol the depot beat in the morning were seriously injured, and that several passengers on the cars were killed outright.

Relatives of those unfortunate enough to have been in the accident, were thrown into frantic state by the reports and much confusion resulted until the papers came out with an accurate account.

Lieutenant J. U. Thornhill has gone to his home in Rutherford, Tenn., for ten days. He was very sore this morning and hardly able to walk.

Mrs. Mat Phelps, the widow from Ozan, Ky., was sent home after her wounds were dressed and is reported not seriously injured.

Mr. Clarence Knowles is very sore and badly bruised but is not seriously injured.

Mr. Helsley is still in a serious condition and the doctors are doubtful of his recovery. [Reports were circulate this morning to the effect that he had died.

### OYSTER SOUP FOR LUNCH AT THE MECCA TONIGHT.

## WILLING TO FORGET

### WOMAN SCALDED RETURNS GOOD FOR EVIL.

"That nigger shot did treat me mean, but I'm givin' to show him just as much good will as he showed me, but he will have to look to de white folks for mercy for what he did to me that I can't overlook," were Vina Bell's words as she handed Henry Hobbs his dinner at the jail.

Hobbs had been living with the Bell woman and caring for her children. He got drunk and seizing a kettle of boiling water threw it all over the Bell woman and nearly fatally scalded her. So serious was the woman's condition that the doctors gave her up, but today she is able to carry Hobbs his meals to the jail, all out of gratitude for Hobbs' kindness to her children when the mother was too ill to work.

### WRECKER BACK.

This morning the local wrecker returned from the Louisville division where the debris of the several wrecks was cleared away. The tank of engine No. 22 was brought in with several smashed up cars which were thrown off the tracks and into the clear in order to get the train through.

## SHOT IN TEMPLE

Tom Taylor, Bridge Carpenter, Suicides at St. Nicholas.

His Body Was Found at 9 This Morning in a Pool of Blood—Used a Pistol.

### HAD BEEN DRUNK TWO WEEKS.

Tom Taylor, age about 45 years, committed suicide in room 37 at the St. Nicholas hotel sometime between 6 o'clock last night and 9 o'clock this morning, by firing a bullet into his right temple.

From every indication, the condition of the room and the position the body was found in, pointed to instant death.

Taylor was a bridge carpenter by trade and was employed for years by the I. G. railroad company in the capacity of foreman of the bridge gang. He left this city several years ago, but returned one year ago and had been working here since, but not with the I. G., it is understood.

About two weeks ago he came to the St. Nicholas and registered as Tom Taylor, but some say his real name is not Thomas. He was a very quiet man and although he drank a great deal few could detect it unless they were personally acquainted with him. He had been drunk off and on and in bad health for two weeks, ever since he had been lodging at the hotel.

Mrs. Taylor, a school teacher at the Lee building, is Taylor's cousin by marriage and yesterday learning he was in bad health decided to visit him. She called at the hotel at 6 o'clock and had a long talk with him, resulting in his half way consenting to enter the city hospital. This morning Mrs. Taylor returned with City Physician Robert Rivers and went to the room about 9 o'clock to get her cousin to go with Dr. Rivers to the hospital, and when the door was opened, horrible sight met their eyes. Lying on the floor with his head in a pool of blood they found Taylor's dead body.

Mr. E. D. Thurman, proprietor of the hotel, was called in and he summoned Coroner Peal who authorized the removal of the body to the undertaker's.

Taylor had evidently been sitting on the edge of the bed when he fired the fatal shot. The bed clothes had been partially turned down and lying under the body was found the pistol. One bullet hole in the right temple was found, and it is supposed the man pitched forward on the floor when the ball entered his head. He was doubled up in a knot when found, but Dr. Rivers turned the body over on the side and out of the blood which covered the floor for an area of several square feet.

Little is known of Taylor's life except that he was born near Bandana and was raised by a farmer named William McGruder. He was not married and left no near relatives as far as can be learned.

Coroner Peal held an inquest this afternoon. There was no note or word of any description left by Taylor, but the evidence of suicide was clear, and

## FOR ALL CATARRHAL COMPLAINTS

Pe-ru-na is Most Excellent," Writes Congressman John L. Sheppard.

afterwards manufactured expressly for him in large quantities. This remedy, Peruna, is now to be found in every drug store and nearly every home in the land. It is the only reliable internal remedy ever devised to cure any case of catarrh, however long the case may have been standing.

### A Case of Nasal Catarrh of Five Years

Standing Cured by Pe-ru-na.

Hon. Rudolph M. Patterson, a well-known lawyer, of Chicago, Ill., writes: "I have been a sufferer from nasal catarrh for the past five years and at the earnest solicitation of a friend I tried Peruna and am glad to say it has afforded a complete cure. It is with pleasure I recommend it to others."—Rudolph M. Patterson.

A course of Peruna never fails to bring relief. There is no other remedy like Peruna. Its cures are prompt and permanent.

Mr. Camillus Seneca, 237 West 129th street, New York, writes:

"I have fully recovered from my catarrhal troubles. I suffered for three years with catarrh of the head, nose and throat. I tried all kinds of medicine without relief, but at last I have been cured by the wonderful remedy called Peruna.

"I read of Peruna in your almanac, and wrote you for advice, which I followed. After taking one and one-half bottles of Peruna I am entirely cured, and can recommend Peruna to anyone as the best and surest remedy for any catarrhal trouble.

Hearing Lost by Catarrh—Restored by Peruna.

Mr. William Bauer, Burton, Texas, a Ginner and Miller, writes:

"Some years ago I lost the hearing in my left ear, and upon examination by a specialist, catarrh was decided to be the cause. I took a course of treatment and regained my hearing for a time but I soon lost it completely. I commenced to take Peruna according to directions and have taken eight bottles in all, and my hearing is completely restored, and I shall sing the praises of Peruna whenever an opportunity occurs.—Wm. Bauer.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of the Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

### CONGRESSMAN JOHN L. SHEPPARD.

Congressman John L. Sheppard, Member of Congress from Texas, writes:

Gentlemen:—"I have used Peruna in my family and find it a most excellent remedy for all catarrhal complaints."—Congressman John L. Sheppard.

There are two things that the whole medical profession agree about concerning catarrh. The first is that catarrh is the most prevalent and omnipresent disease to which the people in the United States are subject. All classes of people have it. Those who stay indoors much and those who go outdoors much. Working classes have it and sedentary classes have it.

Catarrh is frequently located in internal organs which cannot be reached by any sort of local treatment. All this is known by every physician.

To devise some systemic internal remedy which would reach catarrh at its source, to eradicate it permanently from the system—this has been the desire of the medical profession for a long time. Forty years ago Dr. Hartman confronted this problem. He believed then that he had solved it. He still believes he has solved it. His cures thousands of people annually. During all these years Peruna has been the remedy upon which he has relied.

The second thing about catarrh on which all doctors agree, is that it is difficult to cure it. Local remedies may give relief but they fail to cure permanently. Sprays or snuffs amount to

a verdict to that effect was returned.

Taylor is said to have relatives of prominence down in Ballard county, and is well known in the city. No one about the hotel had heard him make any threats of suicide.

### CHEAP RATES

To all points in Montana, Washington, Oregon and British Columbia, March 1 to April 30, 1904. Special rates to North Dakota in March. Write at once for information and maps, to Ira F. Schwegel, district passenger agent, Wisconsin Central railway, 107 Tracton Building, Cincinnati, Ohio.

### PROMINENT LAWYER DEAD.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 13—Judge Fontaine T. Fox, of this city, has received a telegram from Danville announcing the sudden death of his brother Felix, last night. Attorney Fox had practiced law in Kansas City, St. Louis and Danville.

Mrs. Sarah Weil and Miss Carrie Weil returned home to Cleveland, O., today at noon after a visit to the family of Mr. Jacob Weil.

### JUST SO....

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# Buckwheat Cakes with ROYAL Baking Powder

Are delicious and wholesome—a perfect weather breakfast food.

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To make a perfect buckwheat cake, and a thousand other dainty dishes, see the "Royal Baker and Pastry Cook." Mailed free to any address.

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## LOCAL LINES

### MUSIC PHENOMON

IS HERR HEINK THE PIANIST HERE NEXT WEEK.

A rare opportunity to enjoy an exceptional musical treat is offered our city through ladies of Christian church under whose auspices the renowned German artist and composer, Herr Felix Heink, will appear here in his celebrated lecture concert, "Life's Humor and Pathos" told in music and song, at Christian church on Tuesday night, Feb. 16. The programme is splendidly arranged with a brilliant variety of the best and most enjoyable of musical selections, also containing some new works of special interest, never before rendered here. We find represented the names of such composers of wide reputation as Schuman, Liszt, Ravina, Gounod, etc.

Songs by Huguenot, Bohm, etc., compositions by Heink himself, also the difficult Ravina study, "Isolée," which the artist plays entirely with the left hand alone, of which performance a New York paper says: "It was a bewildering feat of technique which kept the audience in amazement and brought forth a storm of applause."

—Old carriages made to look new by G. R. Sexton the sign writer. Drill season now and work done cheap and well. Shop 16th and Madison. Old photos.

Born to the wife of Mr. Jeff J. Held a fine girl baby last night.

If you want to save time, trouble and money, read ad of Harbour's Book Department.

The nine days old infant of Mr. Roy Osborne, a river man, died this morning at the city hospital, from a complication of diseases.

The Paducah Realty Co., 15 South Fourth, pays cash for small cottage property and sells same on monthly payments.

The Elks will hold called meetings next week on Tuesday and Wednesday nights to initiate candidates elected to membership.

The Anchor Fire Insurance company, of Cincinnati, O., and the United States Fire Insurance company of New York, have wired to their local agents, The Friedman Insurance Agency, that their representatives are on the ground and are paying their losses in Baltimore as rapidly as they are adjusted.

To the Confederates of Paducah and McCracken county, gentlemen:

Paducah Chapter Daughters of the Confederacy are desirous to present each member of J. L. Walbert Camp No. 463, U. C. V., with the Cross of Honor of the Confederacy, which can only be done on the individual application of each member. The next date on which the Cross of Honor can be conferred will be on the birthday of Jefferson Davis, June 3rd. To all desiring to make application, I will furnish the proper blanks at my office, No. 319 Kentucky avenue, or at the meeting of the camp on the 3rd Tuesday of each month.

Very truly,

J. V. GREIF, Adjutant.

J. T. Walbert camp No. 463, U.C.V.

AMONG THE SICK.

Little Miss Nellie Meyers, of 521 South Fourth, is ill from measles.

Mr. Will Malone, stage manager at the Kentucky, who is very ill from pneumonia, was no better this afternoon.

Mr. J. H. Roberts, Jr., who had an operation performed on his foot recently, is improving. He will return to school at Spring Hill, Tenn., in two weeks.

WE DISPENSE ONLY THE PUREST DRUGS AND CHEMICALS DUBOIS, KCLB & CO.

OYSTER SOUP FOR LUNCH AT THE MECCA TONIGHT.

Mr. Foster French, of Union City, Tenn., is at the Palmer.

## Social Notes and About People.

Commonwealth's Attorney John G. Lovett, of Benton, is in the city today.

Mr. L. E. McCauley, traveling chief dispatcher of the I. O., is in the city today.

Mr. F. H. Schlinkert, of Centralia, Ill., scale inspector for the I. O., is in the city.

Attorney J. R. Grogan has returned from Murray where he had gone on business.

Mr. George Dains returned this morning from a business trip to Columbus, Ohio.

Mr. Sol Vaughan has returned from attending the A. O. U. W. grand lodge at Louisville.

Miss Lena Hedges has returned from visiting her sister, Mrs. Clarence Wright, of Louisville.

Mrs. Finn, of Franklin, Ky., returned home today after visiting her mother, Mrs. Whitesides.

Mr. J. C. Martin went to Louisville yesterday to accompany his wife home, who is visiting there.

Mr. E. B. Teachout, of the N. C. & St. L. came in from Huntington, Tenn., last night and was at the Palmer today.

Mr. Lloyd Grimes, traveling engineer of the Memphis and Newbern districts of the I. O., was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. J. R. Puryear went to Nashville this morning to visit her son Carl Puryear who is attending a dental school there.

Mrs. Lloyd Wilson and children are visiting Mrs. James Wilcox. They will leave soon for Nashville, Tenn., where Rev. Mr. Wilson has accepted a charge.

Attorney and Mrs. L. K. Taylor returned today from Dawson. Mr. Taylor stopped in Dawson, en route from Louisville where he attended the meeting of the A. O. U. W. grand lodge.

## BANK STATEMENT.

Reserve Dec.	\$ 1,463,550
Less U. S. Dec.	1,398,175
Loans Inc.	719,100
Specie Dec.	319,400
Legal Dec.	1,343,900
Deposits Dec.	799,000
Cir's Dec.	772,300

## NO TROUBLE

PROMOTIONS ARE EASY WHEN YOUR BRAINS WORK.

A young man who earned a fine position tells how food helped him:

"In January 1902 I was engaged as a bookkeeper for a large publishing house in New York city where the work was trying and hours so long I gradually broke down under the strain.

"My brain seemed thick and I lost the good health that I once claimed. I was compelled to resign my position, feeling that a good rest was needed.

"After three weeks' recreation I accepted a position as assistant cashier with one of the largest manufacturing concerns in the United States, feeling that the work would not be so hard mentally, and that the change would be for the best.

"It took just two days to convince me I had undertaken a task beyond the power of my overworked and underfed brain, and I had decided to again resign, disgusted with myself and the world in general. That day I met a friend whose counsel I asked before taking the step. After I had related my troubles to him he said 'Eat Grape Nuts my boy.'

"I looked on his remark as a joke at the time but by the time I reached home I had thought it over and determined to give Grape Nuts a trial, and the next day found it on my table. The food seemed to give me new life from the start and gradually a great power for work became evident. It increased from day to day, my brain became active and my capacity for mental work unlimited. My duties at the office that at first seemed beyond all my capacity are now accomplished with precision, accuracy and pleasure.

"Last month I was promoted to the position of cashier amid the congratulations of my friends. I attribute my success to those wonderful little grains of food—Grape Nuts, and to all I repeat a motto that is worthy of thought 'Eat Grape Nuts my boy.'

Name given by Postum company, Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason, give Grape Nuts 10 days trial.

Look in each package for the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."

## TIPS.

—Ring 956 red, for A. F. Grief, plumber.

Solicitors wanted at Great Pacific Tea and Coffee Co.

FOR RENT—Three room house on North Twelfth street. Apply to F. M. Fisher, postoffice.

FOR RENT.—Residence now occupied by Mr. Will Scott. Possession March 1st. L. S. DuBois.

—Whittemore Real Estate Free Price List. Insurance. Notary Public. Fraternity Buildings. Phones 835.

WANTED—Position by competent white girl as cook in Gentile family. State wages paid. B. W., care General Delivery, Metropolis, Ill.

WOOD—Plenty of dry wood for cooking and heating stoves—Deliver to any part of city. Terrell D. Fookes, Cairo Road. Old phone 422 A.

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## BALTIMORE FIRE

### AUTHORITATIVE REPORT IN THE INSURANCE FILED.

A complete and comprehensive review of the Baltimore fire from an insurance standpoint is given in the Insurance Field, just issued.

C. L. Hitchcock, editor of the Field in an editorial summary of the fire says:

"Never before in the history of insurance were the companies so well prepared to withstand such a loss. It is, of course, utterly impossible at this writing to approximate the insurance loss. Crude estimates are from a minimum of \$30,000,000 to a maximum of \$50,000,000. But whatever it may be, the great body of the companies will be able to meet their losses without vital hurt. The scores of failures that followed the Chicago and Boston fires of thirty-two years ago will not be duplicated now."

Mr. Hitchcock believes that there will be a rate increase operative throughout the country. The most important data in the Field this week are a number of telegrams from the Baltimore companies, which every one thought would break as a result of the fire.

The Home of New York, has re-insured the Peabody, of Baltimore; the Firemen's estimates its loss as \$450,000, the exact amount of its net surplus; the Security of Baltimore, wires that it is not badly hurt by the loss; the German, of Baltimore, has about \$700,000 surplus, which is just about wiped out by the fire; the Maryland lost about \$75,000; the German-American, of Baltimore, wires that it will meet all of its obligations, and that its losses are upwards of \$300,000. The Firemen's has a Louisville representative. The Royal, of the foreign companies, sustained the highest loss, \$1,150,000 gross, but its surplus is so large that it will not be damaged.

Elegant man-tailored dress and walking suit for women. We can fit any and all figures. The newest spring styles at right prices.

## A Notable Sale —OF—

## MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

At 10c, 15c, 25c, 50c, 75c and  
\$1 a garment.

Elegant man-tailored dress and walking suit for women. We can fit any and all figures. The newest spring styles at right prices.

More new walking skirts at \$1.50, 2.10, 2.45, 3, 3.50, 3.85, 4.50, 4.90, 5, 6.50, 7.50, and 9.

**MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING**  
At extraordinary low prices for good dependable quality.

New white goods and Spring gingham on sale at special low prices. Broken lots of men's, women's, boys', girls' and children's shoes on sale at cut prices.

Sold by DuBois, Kobl & Co.

## THE SUPERVISORS

### CITY TAX RAISERS STILL AT WORK—COUNTY SUPERVISORS THROUGH.

The city supervisors are not through, and probably will not finish next week. They are making raises.

One stated today that a West End real estate company gave its property in by the acre, but the supervisors found out about the concern and forced an assessment by lot, raising the assessment \$6,000 or \$7,000.

The county assessors have finished. No one knows the total assessment, as it will require several weeks to go over it and secure the total. The supervisors yesterday each made a guess, and all except one made the total over ten million. Last year's assessment was about \$9,800,000. This year it is estimated it will go to \$10,200,000, a raise of something like \$400,000.

### PLEASANT AND MOST EFFICIENT.

T. J. Chambers, Ed. Vindicator, Liberty, Texas, writes December 25, 1902: "With pleasure and unsolicited by you, I bear testimony to the corrective power of Ballard's Horehound Syrup. I have used it in my family and can cheerfully affirm it is the most effective and pleasantest remedy for coughs and colds I have ever used."

250,500 and \$1. Sold by DuBois, Kobl & Co.

## READY FOR SERVICE

### WESTERN UNION SUPERINTENDENT VISITS HERE.

Mr. J. R. Tohne, superintendent of the Western Union Telegraph company, was in the city today, and looked over the Western Union here. It has been decided to fit up the local office with entirely new furniture, instruments, etc. As soon as possible everything will be made new, including the switchboard burned out day before yesterday, and the night watchman service will be installed, and the office be kept open all night.

Mr. G. Covington, of Mayfield, is in the city.

### LAX-FOS

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Let there be no delay.

### TOBACCO AT MAYFIELD.

Mayfield, Ky., Feb. 13—There was hardly ever a time in the history of the Mayfield tobacco market, when there was absolutely as little demand for tobacco as at present.

The only purchase being made at this place so far, is by the Italian contractors, and they are going about over the country buying such crops as suit them and at their own prices.

They are not so far, authorized to make a very large purchase and of course will not buy but a small fraction of the entire crop of this country.

It is thought by the people that later on the Continental, American and Bremen company will want purchases and that the prices will be much higher than they are now.

From the best information we can get, there will be no demand for tobacco before March and April.

All of the old tobacco on this market has been sold except one hogshead, which is left to tell the tale of our unsatisfactory market.

### CENTRAL CITY DEATH.

Central City, Ky., Feb. 13—Mr. E. A. Coffman, a prominent citizen of Central City, died at the advanced age of seventy-five years. Mr. Coffman

had been suffering with stomach trouble for about three years. Besides his wife and two daughters he leaves six sons, all of whom are prominent in business circles. Messrs. Ed and Joseph Coffman and Mrs. Marvin and Will Coffman are located in Central City. Dr. Kent C. Coffman in Owensboro, and Mr. Robert Coffman in Birmingham, Ky.

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Third street—Rev. W. B. Hamilton, pastor. Regular services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. every Sunday. Epworth League 6:45 p.m., A. J. Bamberg, president. Sunday school at 10 a.m., B. F. Sears, Sopt. Ladies' meeting on Monday at 2:30 p.m., Mrs. A. H. Barker, president. Prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Trimble street church—Rev. W. W. Armstrong, pastor. Preaching at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday school at 10:45 a.m. Epworth League Monday evening at 7:30 p.m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 p.m.

Little's Chapel—Rev. T. J. Owen, pastor. Preaching Sunday evening at 7:30 p.m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30. Sunday school Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m.

Mechanicsburg Methodist church, Mechanicsburg—Sunday school at 9:15 a.m. Epworth League services at 6:45 p.m. Preaching at 7:30 p.m. promptly. Robert A. Cummins, P. C.

Union Rescue Mission, 421 South Third street—Gospel services every night at 7:30. R. W. Charles, pastor.

Services at 10:30 and 7:30 Sunday at Mechanicsburg Methodist church.

### PRESBYTERIAN.

First Cumberland Presbyterian church, corner Sixth and Kentucky avenue—Rev. George O. Bachman, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a.m. S. B. Hanna, Sopt. Preaching service at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Junior Endeavor at 3 p.m. W. D. Watson, Sopt. Young People's Society at 9:30 p.m. Prayer and teachers' meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

First Presbyterian church—Rev. W. E. Cave, D. D., pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a.m., L. M. Rieke, superintendent. Preaching at 10:45 a.m.

Mizpah Mission Sunday school at 2:30 p.m., W. J. Hills, Sopt. Preaching service at 7:30 p.m.

### BAPTIST.

First Baptist church on the corner of Fifth and Jefferson streets pastor G. W. Perryman D. D. Residence 125 N. Fifth street. Phone 1314. Preaching Sunday at 11 and 7:30. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7:30. Sunday school home church 9:30 Prof. A. M. House Sopt. Station A North 12th street 3 p.m. R. E. Roper Sopt.

Second Baptist church corner of Ninth and Ohio streets Rev. W. H. Robinson, pastor. Residence 632 Husband street. Phone No. 533 new. Preaching every Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday school at 9:30 a.m. N. H. Vaughan Sopt. Residence 324 Tennessee street

### CHRISTIAN.

First Christian church, southeast corner of Seventh and Jefferson streets Rev. W. H. Pinkerton pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a.m., W. G. Dodd Sopt. Preaching at 10:45 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Y. P. S. U. E. at 6:30 p.m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

Tenth street Christian church—Sunday school at 9:30 a.m. Church services at 10:45 a.m.

Young Men's Christian Association

The reading room of the Young Men's Christian Association is open Sunday afternoon to all men. At 8:30 o'clock men's gospel meeting; at 9:15 the Young Men's Social Bible club meets with luncheon and study under the leadership of W. P. Smith. All men are most cordially invited to use these privileges. Boys' Bible class at 2 o'clock. Boys' reading room open all Sunday afternoon to all boys of the city.

### EVANGELICAL.

German Evangelical church—Rev. H. F. Wulfman pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a.m. German services at 7:30 p.m.

Lutheran church—Evangelical Lutheran church, South Fourth street, J. H. Ruppert, Pastor. Sunday school 9 a.m. German preaching 10:15 a.m. English preaching 7:30 p.m.

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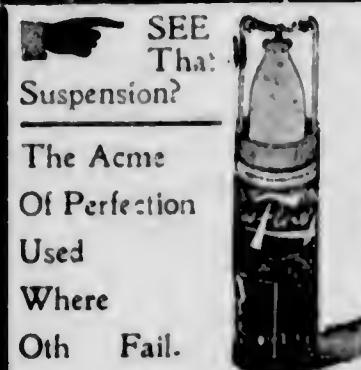


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## THE STROLLERS

CHAPTER XXXI.  
THE sudden and tragic death of Constance's foster father, which occurred virtually as narrated by Straws, set a seal of profound sadness on the heart of the young girl. "Good sir, indeed!" she had said in the nursery scene, and the eternal parting had shortly followed. Her affection for the old manager had been that of a loving daughter. The grief she should have experienced over the passing of the marquis was transferred to the memory of one who had been her father through love's kinship. In the faraway past, standing at the bier of her mother, the manager it was who had held her childish hand, consoling her and sharing her affliction, and in those distant but unforgettable days of trouble the young girl and the homeless old man became all in all to each other.

Years had rolled by. The child that prattled by his side became the stately girl, but the hand clasp at that grave had never been relinquished. She could not pretend to mourn the death of the marquis, her own father. Had not even dead been to her as dead as the good wife (or bad wife) of that nobleman—as dead as Gross George and all the other honored and dishonored figures of that misty past? But Barnes' death was the abrupt severing of the strengthened by years of tender association, and when his last summons came she felt herself truly alone.

In an old cemetery, amid the crumpling bricks, Barnes was buried, his sealed tomb above ground bearing in its inscription the answer to the duke's query, "Thy Best of Life Is Sleep." Constance remained in New Orleans. There the old manager had found his final resting place, and she had no definite desire to go elsewhere. Adrift in the darkness of the present, the young girl was too perplexed to plan for the future, so she remained in the house Barnes had rented shortly before his death. An elderly gentleman of fallen fortunes, to whom this semirelaxed establishment belonged, Constance retained as a companion, passing her time quietly, soberly, almost in solitude. This mansion, last remnant of its owner's earthly estate, was roomy and spacious, nestling among the orange and inviting seduction, with its pretensions well surrounding the grounds.

The old fashioned gentlewoman, poor and proud, was a fitting figure in that ancient house, where in former days gay parties had assembled. But now the principal callers at the old house were the little fat priest, with a rosy smile, who looked after the aged lady's soul, of which she was most solicitous. In these later days, and the Comte de Propre, who came ostensibly to see the elderly woman and chat about genealogy and extraction, but was obviously not unmindful of the presence of the young girl nor averse to seeking to mitigate her sorrow. Culver, the lawyer, too, came occasionally to talk about her affairs, but often her mind turned impatiently from figures and markets to the subtle rhythm of Shakespeare. She regretted having left the stage, feeling the loneliness of this simple existence, yet averse to seeking diversion and shunning rather than inviting society. As the inert hours crept by she longed for the forced wakefulness and stir of other days—happy days of insecurity, fleeting, joyous days, gone now beyond recall!

But while she was striving to solve these new problems of her life they were all being settled for her by fate, that arrogant meddler. Calling one morning, Culver, nosegay in hand, was obliged to wait longer than usual and employed the interval in casually examining his surroundings and incidentally himself. First, with the vanity of youngish old gentlemen, he gazed into a tall mirror framed in the fan-tastic style of the early Venetians, a glass which had belonged to the marquis and had erstwhile reflected the light beauty of his noble spouse. Pausing about as long as it would have taken a lady to adjust a curl, he peeped into a Dutch cabinet of ebony and mother of pearl and was studying a charming creature painted on ivory, whose head, like that of Bluebeard's wife, was subsequently separated from her lovely shoulders, when a light footstep behind him interrupted his scrutiny. Turning, he greeted the young girl and with stately gallantry presented the nosegay.

"How well you are looking!" he said. "Though there might be a little more color perhaps, like some of these flowers. If I were a doctor I should prescribe less cloister, more city!"

She took the flowers, meeting his kindly gaze with a faint smile.

"Most patients would like such prescriptions," he went on. "I should soon become a popular society physician."

But, although he spoke lightly, his manner was partly forced, and he regarded her furtively. Their brief acquaintance had awakened in him an interest half paternal, half curious. Women were an unknown but beautiful quantity. From the vantage point of a life of single blessedness he vaguely but quixotically placed them in the same category with flowers, and his curiosity was no harsher than that of a gardener studying some new variety of bud or blossom. Therefore he hesitated in what he was about to say, shifting in his chair uneasily when they were seated, but finally coming to the point with:

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

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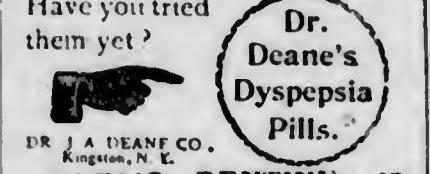
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## NEWS OF THE RIVERS.

Observations taken at 7 a.m. River 15.9 on the gauge, a rise of 0.5 in the last 24 hours. Weather clear and warm. Temperature 40 with south west winds.

S. A. FOWLER,  
Local Observer.

The Condor is here from Joppa.

The Cumberland is on the docks for repairs.

The T. H. Davis will go to Thebes, Ill., today.

The Hopkins left this morning for Evansville.

The Russel Lord will go up the Ohio today for ties.

The Joe Fowler will return from Evansville tomorrow.

Ice is again flowing in the Ohio river, coming out of the Wabash.

Captain Newhill has quite recovered from his attack of vertigo of Thursday.

The Memphis arrived last night from Tennessee river and will lay up. The Tennessee, in whose place the Memphis has been running, will resume her trips.

The steamer S. P. Gillett, that has been used in work on the locks and dams below Pittsburgh has been sold to Captain Adam Weikel by the Evansville Contract company. Terms of sale are private.

The ice that is reported coming from Wabash river has not yet struck Paducah in large quantities. It was reported as far down as Carrsville yesterday but with the present weather will rot and sink before it reaches here.

The Kampendahl Towing Co., of Metropolis, has bought the Key City, a small towboat often seen at this port, to use in towing. A small tug had been used by the company and on account of increase in business the new purchase became a necessity.

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Most popular member of local union.
C. C. Hayman
Ed Engleart
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Harry Pixler
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Joe Sanders
Will Gregory
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I vote for

As the most popular federal, city or county employee.

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As the most popular school teacher.

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As the most popular clerk.

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As the most popular resident of the county.

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Resident of the county.

Henry Temple	293,339
Henry Houser	276,111
C. K. Lamond	96,738
Richard Bell	40,504
J. W. Harris	8,949
O. M. Thornhill	240
Ed Willis	226
J. P. McQueen	126
Theo Hovecamp	17
Jeff Coleman	4
Clint Randle	3
Retail or wholesale, clerk.	
Harry Hinkle	278,855
Miss Ruth Groomen	299,540
Mr. Fred Smith	26,607
Mrs. Ollie Elliott	17,122
Hannah Petter	4,812
Miss Maggie Williams	207
Miss Mamie Bayham	75
Miss Augusta List	58
Mr. James Scott	21
Miss Dorris Martin,	10
M. Hozette	1
School teacher.	
Miss Jessie Byrd	241,356
Miss Jessie Rocks	236,650
William Lawrence	149,234
Miss Lizzie Singleton	9,139
Miss Mabel Roberts	365
Miss Ellen Wills	329
Miss Maggie Acker	220
Ella Larkin	189
Miss Ade Brazelton	169
Prof. A. M. Rouse	111
Miss Etta Ware	100
W. H. Mason	55
Prof. J. T. Ross	25
Sue Atchison	6
Miss Morgan	2

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# ONE CENT AND COSTS

(Continued from first page)

First Cumberland Presbyterian church, Rev. George O. Bachman, the pastor, will preach his second sermon in the series on "The Church." Tomorrow in his first sermon he dwelt upon the perplexing things in the history and development of the church. In this sermon he will show its origin and early organization. These sermons are calculated to explain many things not well understood by the average church member, and will prove helpful to all. At night he will preach the concluding sermon of the protracted meeting which has been in progress for ten days, and the subject will be "Jesus the Christ on Trial."

Tenth street Christian church services: Sunday school at 9:30 a.m. A full attendance of officers and teachers and pupils is desired. Communion at 10:45. Church members should attend this service if possible. Friends invited to all meetings at this church, and welcome. Endeavor Society meets at 6:30. Brother J. C. Shelton will preach the third Sunday, morning and evening.

Dr. Burris Jenkins, of Lexington, will preach Sunday morning at the Broadway Methodist church from the text "As Unto the Lord." At the Y. M. C. A. building in the afternoon, he will deliver an address to men only on "Excuses." In the evening he will preach at the First Christian church on "Violence in the Kingdom of Heaven."

The following services will be conducted at the First Christian church: Sunday school at 9:30 a.m. Communion service promptly at 10:30 a.m. The congregation will unite with the Broadway Methodist church at 11 a.m. to hear President Jenkins. President Jenkins will preach at this church at 7:30 o'clock.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Cumberland Presbyterian church will meet next Monday at 3 p.m. at the house of Mrs. Kate Craig, on corner Sixth and Monroe streets. The society is planning for a George Washington social for the night of February 22.

Rev. Thomas Sexton, of Knoxville, Tenn., will arrive tonight to commence a series of revivals for the Second Baptist church, Sunday morning. Rev. Mr. Sexton was expected a week ago, but was detained.

The Sunday school of the First Cumberland Presbyterian church will have a "Jug Breaking" on the night of February 26 and a good program is being prepared, for the occasion.

Rev. J. N. Carter, of Lexington, Tenn., is in the city and will preach at the Mechanicsburg M. E. church Sunday morning and evening.

At the Broadway Methodist church Sunday evening, Rev. J. H. Roberts, presiding elder of the Paducah district will preach.

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T. B. Harrison, 13 and 14 Columbia building. Old phone 109.

Bagby & Martin, No. 225 South Fourth street, up stairs.

W. V. Eaton, 217-219 Fraternity building.

Such Was the Verdict in the Dixie Wilson Case Today.

Remains to be Taken to Hopkinsville Tomorrow Morning for Burial

Coroner Wm. Peal this afternoon held an inquest over the remains of A. L. (Dixie) Wilson, the drummer who cut his throat yesterday morning at Hotel Lagomarsino and died a few hours later. There were no details connected with his tragic end not heretofore given, and the verdict of the jury was that the deceased came to his death from a wound in the throat inflicted by his own hand with suicidal intent.

A cousin, Walter Wilson, of Hopkinsville, arrived today and will take the body to Hopkinsville tomorrow morning on the early train for burial.

Mr. and Mrs. Norton Steele and son, Mr. Jack Steele, and Mr. and Mrs. Blanton, of Memphis, were here yesterday to attend the funeral of the late Capt. John C. Steele, at one time clerk at the Palmer House. They returned home last evening at 6:05. Mr. Jack Steele, one of the party, was formerly employed in the post office, and has many friends there.

Miss Minnie Beasley, who had been ill from measles and pneumonia for some time at the city hospital, died last evening and the remains will be

# GUTHRIE'S Three Days Second Floor Sale

Of All Remnants and Odds and Ends in the House. . . .

Beginning Monday morning, Feb. 15, closing Wednesday night, Feb. 17.

Now Remember This is for Three Days, and Three Days Only.

## FLANNELETTES.

One line of Flannelettes worth \$1 1/2 cents, go in this sale at 5c.

One line of Flannelettes, worth 10c at 6 1/2 c.

All of our 10c, 12 1/2c and 15c qualities go in this sale at 8 1/2 c.

## DOMESTICS.

One lot of short lengths of bleach cotton, 5 and 10 yd. lengths, worth \$1 1/2c and 10c, go in this sale at 7 1/2 c.

## TABLE LINEN.

One line of 54 in. Turkey Red Damask, would be cheap at 25c, go in this sale at 19c.

One lot of 54 in. Red Damask, regular 35c quality, goes in this sale at 24 per yard

## CRASHES.

One lot of Cotton Crashes, would be cheap at 20 per yard, sale price at 8 1/2 c.

One lot linen Crashes, regular 10c quality, sale price 8 1/2 c.

## TOWELS.

One lot of Linen Towels, worth \$1 1/2c, 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c, 25c and 35c, sale price 5c, \$1 1/2c, 10c, 15c, 18c, 25c.

## GINGHAM MADRAS.

One line of 42 1/2c Ginghams, go in this sale as long as they last at 10c per yard.

One lot 36 inch Madras, 12 1/2c and 15c quality, go in this sale at 10c.

One line of Linen finished Chambray, regular 12 1/2c and 15c quality, sale price 10c.

## SWISSES.

One line of odds and ends in figured Swiss, worth 25c, go in this sale at 15c.

One line of black and white Dimities, odds and ends, 10c, 12 1/2c and

## SILKS.

One lot of short lengths in fancy and plain silks, for 25c and 35c per yard, would be cheap at 50 and 75c per yard.

## SILKOLINE.

One lot of Silkoline, 36 inches wide regular 12 1/2c and 15c quality, goes in this sale at 8 1/2 c per yard.

## SKIRTS AND CLOAKS.

We will give you your choice of any Walking Skirt in the house at 50c on the dollar. This means exactly one-half off.

Any Cloak in the house at exactly one-half off the regular price.

## CHALLIES.

One line of all wool Challies, worth

15c quality, sale price \$1.25.

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